1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 SHAUKAT "SAL" MAREDIA, et al. 1:05-cv-00393-OWW-SMS 12 Plaintiffs, ORDER ADOPTING FINDINGS AND **RECOMMENDATIONS** (Doc. 105) 13 vs. ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR 14 PHILIP MORRIS USA INC., et al., **DEFAULT JUDGMENT** (Doc. 92) 15 Defendants. ORDER DIRECTING CLERK TO ENTER JUDGMENT FOR DEFENDANT/ 16 COUNTER-CLAIMANT AND AGAINST PLAINTIFF/COUNTER-DEFENDANT PHILIP MORRIS USA INC., 17 Counter-Claimant, 18 VS. 19 SHAUKAT "SAL" MAREDIA, 20 Counter-Defendant. 21 22 23 Defendant and Counter-Claimant, Philip Morris USA, Inc., is 24

proceeding with this civil action in this Court. The matter has been referred to the Magistrate Judge pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b) and Local Rules 72-302(c)(19) and 72-303.

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On August 27, 2007, the Magistrate Judge filed Findings and Recommendations herein which were served on the parties and which

contained notice to the parties that any objections to the
Findings and Recommendations were to be filed within thirty (30)
days. To date, the parties have not filed objections to the
Magistrate Judge's Findings and Recommendations.

In accordance with the provisions of 28 U.S.C.
\$ 636(b)(1)(C) and Local Rule 73-305, this Court has conducted a
de novo review of this case. Having carefully reviewed the
entire file, the Court finds the Findings and Recommendations to
be supported by the record and by proper analysis.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- The Findings and Recommendations, filed August 27,
 are ADOPTED IN FULL;
- 2. The motion for default judgment filed by Defendant and Counter-Claimant, Philip Morris USA, Inc., on July 19, 2007, in the amount of \$150,000.00 is GRANTED; and,
- 3. The Clerk of Court enter judgment in favor of Defendant and Counter-Claimant, Philip Morris USA, Inc., and against Plaintiff and Counter-Defendant, Shaukat "Sal" Maredia, for \$150,000.00 in damages.
- 20 IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: October 16, 2007 /s/ Oliver W. Wanger
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE